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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Olivier Fagebaume et al.

Application No.: 10/075,369

Filed: February 15, 2002

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING BY
ELECTROCHEMICAL PROCESS A CARBON-
CONTAINING MATERIAL WITH ITS SURFACE
MODIFIED BY ORGANIC GROUPS, USE OF
THE MODIFIED MATERIAL

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Commissioner for Patents
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Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office
Action of September 23, 2003. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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